

Legal Issues in Today's Jails

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This three-day seminar will address key legal issues facing your jail today and the dramatic Supreme Court decisions of the last twelve months. The most recent court rulings will be explained with emphasis on how they affect jail management.

CEUs will be available through Fort Hays State University.

College credit for this seminar is available for those enrolled in FHSU's online degree program.

Who Should Participate?

This course is designed for mid- to upper-level managers such as sheriffs, jail administrators, deputy administrators, personnel managers, supervisors, training officers, and compliance officers.

**Participants
can apply
18 points
toward the
Certified Jail
Manager
Program**

At the conclusion of this program, participants will be able to:

- Develop practical litigation strategies including a discussion of the Supreme Court's increased emphasis on the state of mind requirement or rationale of jail officials
- Implement proactive policies, procedures, and training concerning the use of nonlethal and lethal force in jails
- Apply current requirements concerning medical issues, equal protection claims, and cross-gender searches and supervision
- Develop a practical and proactive strategy to prevent sexual harassment among staff in jails
- Develop proactive strategies for dealing with personnel issues involving problems with inmate/staff relationships
- Effectively manage human resources to reduce liability
- Implement the appropriate use of new technologies in jails focussing upon nonlethal weapons and avoiding civil liability
- Apply the latest case law to policies and procedures which address such inmate related issues as civil liability and attorney fees, prisoner rights under the 1st, 4th, 5th, and 14th amendments to the U.S. Constitution, federal statutes such as the 1964 Civil Rights Act, and consent decrees
- Apply effective methods to respond in a proactive manner to legal issues in jails, including the application of *Turner v. Safley* "rational relationships" test
- Update on recent developments in a wide range of other legal issues of importance to jail personnel

Expert Instructors

Gary W. DeLand is the executive director of the Utah Sheriffs' Association. Mr. DeLand received a masters of public administration from the University of Utah in 1985. He began his career with the Salt Lake County Sheriff's Office in the early 1960s. He has been a private consultant since 1980 providing legal issues instruction and consulting in over 40 states. Gary was the Salt Lake City Jail commander from 1975-1979 and the executive director of the Utah Department of Corrections from 1985-1992. He has been an instructor for the Utah Police Academy, Fred House Corrections Academy in Utah, National Institute of Corrections, and AJA.

Carrie Hill is an attorney at law and consultant residing in Maple Grove, Minnesota. From 1989 to 1992, Carrie served as general counsel for the Utah Department of Corrections under two different administrations. While employed as general counsel, she took the lead on several high profile cases that came out of that department. Prior to that, Carrie worked in the office of general counsel in other capacities for four years.

**This seminar is STC certified in California
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***This training seminar will be conducted at the hotel listed below.**

Hotel Accommodations

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Santa Barbara Inn

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 Santa Barbara, CA 93103
 805-966-2285

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